

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Inventor(s): Shinichi Kurita, Emanuel Beer, Edgar Kehrberg and Matthias Brunner
Title: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING A POSITION OF A SUBSTRATE RELATIVE TO A SUPPORT STAGE
Serial No.: 10/782,503
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Examiner: Emily Y. Chan
Group Art Unit: 2829

Transmitted herewith is:

☒ Request for Continued Examination

☒ Response to Office Action

FEE CALCULATION					
Fee Items	Highest No. of claims previously paid	Present No. of claims filed	Extra Claims	Fee Rate	Total
Total Claims				X \$50.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims				X \$200.00	\$0.00
Basic Filing Fee (\$300.00), Utility Search Fee (\$500.00), Utility Examination Fee (\$200.00)				\$1000.00	\$0.00
TOTAL FEES					PAID

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